**REMARKS** 

Claims 7-14 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, claim 14 is

added. No new matter is added.

Applicants respectfully submit that this application is in condition for allowance

and such action is earnestly solicited. If the Examiner believes that anything further is

desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the

Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative at the telephone

number listed below to schedule a personal or telephone interview to discuss any

remaining issues.

In the event this paper is not considered to be timely filed, Applicants respectfully

petition for an appropriate extension of time. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit

any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, making reference to Attorney Docket

No. 107242-00005.

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